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NOTED NEGRO OF CHICAGO DIES.

(Associated Negro Press.)

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 20.—One of the most widely known citizens of Chicago died Monday at Port Dearborn Hospital, where he had been confined only a few days with an attack of influenza. He was born in 1866 at Lincoln, Ga., and worked his way through school. He studied law in the office of the United States District Attorney at New Orleans and was admitted to the bar in that city. He came to Chicago in 1896. At the time of his death he was the owner of the Idlewild Hotel of this city. Mr. Moseley was a friend of a number of distinguished citizens, among them was the late Theodore Roosevelt and the present United States Senator Medill McCormick. Senator McCormick, who happened to be in Chicago during Mr. Moseley's illness was informed by the A. N. P. of the serious condition of Mr. Moseley and the Senator immediately went to the hospital to see his friend and was one of the audience at the funeral services. Mr. Moseley managed the Senatorial campaign for our group in behalf of Senator McCormick.

WHAT CAUSED THE WAR PIGS.

Buch, Switzerland, Dec. 20.—Pigs just ordinary barnyard pigs, brought on the world war. This is the latest contribution from the royal houses of the Central Empires submitted to history as the cause of the conflict. It is put forth seriously by no less a personage than Count Carl Sallern, late confidential counselor to Emperor Charles in Vienna.

In a statement to a master of the convey bringing American Red Cross relief to Budapest, the Count explained how plain, ordinary porkers—the kind from which the packers extract everything but the squeal—were the cause of the world calamity.

"Fifteen years before the war," said Count Sallern, "Serbia was shipping great numbers of pigs into Hungary, successfully competing with the Hungarian farmer and cutting into his income. The Hungarians protested but the border was left open. Finally the Austro-Hungarian government, on the pretext that all Serbian pigs were diseased, placed an embargo on them."

"Up to that time the two governments had more or less of a friendly understanding. After this both sides became irritated and practiced every method of hampering each other in international trade. Political leaders

in Serbia seized upon the pig incident. Austro-Hungarian diplomats took up the question. Misunderstandings arose over it. The embargo was manipulated until the pig incident supplanted many other big political questions. When it grew too old for political propaganda, other questions were built out of it, and thus the world war was brought on.

"Yes, there is no doubt, pigs caused the war."

CHALLENGE RESOLUTION OF SOUTH CAROLINA AMERICAN LEGION.

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People through its chairman, Mary White Ovington, has issued a statement challenging a resolution of the American Legion of South Carolina which stated that the Association's activities would tend to cause friction between the races.

The statement, which asserts that Colored soldiers from South Carolina outnumbered white and that the percentage of illiteracy among the Colored troops was less than among the white, is as follows:

I am at a loss to understand your position regarding the work of a body that lays special stress upon securing due process of law rather than mob violence for Negroes whether they live in the North or in the South. Our branches, in whatever states they may operate, voice the sentiment of the educated, law-abiding Negroes who have so recently helped America to achieve victory in the Great War. We note, however, that your resolution condemning our activities is from "The American Legion of South Carolina representing the white soldier who fought in the recent great war."

We feel that we are right in considering also the opinion of the Colored soldiers of South Carolina, who outnumbered the white, particularly in view of the fact that among the Colored there was less illiteracy than among their white comrades at arms.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) MARY WHITE OVINGTON, Chairman

UNITED STATES PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE.

A clean house with plenty of fresh air and sunshine is a long step in the direction of health, says the United States Public Health Service. The kitchen is the most important room in the house from a health standpoint, says the United States Public Health Service. Keep everything about it and every one in it scrupulously clean.

Beauty is more than skin deep, according to the United States Public Health Service. Natural beauty is usually a sign of health that comes from keeping the body clean and getting plenty of outdoor exercise. A decayed tooth is far more dangerous to the health than a fly in the soup, says the United States Public Health Service. Visit the dentist regularly. Keep the teeth clean.

Thousands of children are killed every year because the parents say, "They will have it anyway," and permit the little ones to expose themselves to whooping cough, measles and scarlet fever, says the United States Public Health Service.

XMAS SEALS WILL BE SOLD TILL XMAS.

Austin, Texas, Dec. 20.—President Wilson, the Prince of Wales, General Pershing, Surgeon General Richard Blue, ex-president William Howard Taft and many other notables have endorsed Red Cross Christmas seals as the means to help stamp out tuberculosis. The American Legion and other strong national organizations pledged their support for the sale. On account of bad weather and other adverse conditions many county chairmen in the seal sale are continuing their sale of the little seals of good health and Christmas cheer, and will sell them until Christmas. The bright face of Santa Claus is being all over the state on the little stickers pasted in letters and packages, and before the

Christmas Holidays there will be scarcely a piece of mail, or package without the multi-colored stamp which typifies the fight on tuberculosis.

As yet returns from the seal sale are very scattered and incomplete on account of the many requests for the continuation of the sale, "said O. M. Lowry, State Campaign Director, "but the reports are very gratifying and I confidently believe that when all the reports are in we may see that the sale has gone over the top for better health in Texas in 1920."

General John J. Pershing, in his endorsement of the Red Cross Christmas Seal Sale said: "It gives me great pleasure to heartily endorse the Red Cross Christmas Seal Sale for 1919 being conducted under the auspices of the American Red Cross and the National Tuberculosis Association. It is deserving of loyal support and every success."

The Texas Public Health Association is directing the sale of 20,000,000 seals in Texas, and with its local affiliations will use ninety percent of the \$200,000 raised, wholly and exclusively in Texas.

CITIZENS ORGANIZE TO SEGREGATE COLORED PEOPLE IN BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 18. The race people of Baltimore have made such rapid strides in the way of accumulating property—valuable property—that the whites have become afraid that their "sacred residential section" will be invaded. In order to stop the Negroes in their quest for land and to keep them out of the exclusive residential section of the whites, a city segregation law was drawn up, which would have, had it not justly been declared unconstitutional, confined our people to the undesirable parts of the city where the environment for the rearing of children would be anything but pleasant.

Since they failed to segregate the people by law, a neighborhood segregation provision, taking in more than 300 residents of Baltimore's finest residential section, has been framed and the instrument in the nature of an agreement has been filed at the record's office.

The area takes in a large section of the northwest and is one that has been threatened by Negro invasion since the city segregation law was declared void. The agreement with the owner's guarantee against the "sale of the properties in the prescribed district to people of African descent."

APPOINT COLORED GIRLS CASHIERS.

Orkin Bros., Omaha's Leading Merchants in Exclusive Ladies' Wear, Recognize Ability of Employees.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 18.—The Misses Ruby Thompson, Otis Watson and Cunia Watson have accepted positions with Orkin Bros., as cashiers. Miss Thompson has been with the store ever since the first day it opened. Through her Mr. Orkin discovered the business-like qualities of Colored girls and asked her to secure the services of two other Colored girls to act as cashiers. Whereupon Miss Thompson selected the Misses Otis and Cunia Watson to fill the positions. The Misses Watson are graduates from the High School of Commerce and both are officers of the Phi Delta Sorority. They have been with Orkin Bros. since the first of November.

ACHIEVEMENT RECORD MADE BY REPUBLICANS

Enact Many Laws for Country's Benefit and Save Nearly a Billion of Money.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—Representative Frank W. Mondell, of Wyoming, majority leader in the House, has issued a statement in which he called the attention of the country to the long list of achievements of the Republicans in that body since they were called into extra session six months ago.

"The fact is," he says, "that the special session has saved to the American people \$940,000,000 below the appropriations actually proposed by its predecessor and more than \$1,750,000,000 below the estimates on which those appropriations bills were based." He then gives a list of general measures enacted as follows:

The return of the telephone, telegraph, and cable lines of the country to their owners.

The adoption of the woman-suffrage amendment.

The placing on the statute books of a complete and comprehensive national prohibition law.

The enactment of liberal provisions for vocational training and rehabilitation of wounded soldiers and sailors; and generous appropriations for the same.

The extension and enlargement of the food-control act with a view of preventing hoarding and profiteering, and with additional penalties for the violation of the statute.

Provision for additional travel pay for enlisted men discharged from the Regular Army.

The incorporation of the American Legion.

Amendment to the war-risk insurance act increasing the allowance in certain classes of serious injury.

The repeal of the daylight-savings law. Provision for additional compensation for employees of the Postal Service.

The Edge Bill, an extension of the Federal reserve act, providing for organization for the promotion of foreign trade. A most important piece of constructive legislation, particularly essential in the development of our trade with South America and in the extension of our commerce with all the world. This bill has passed both House and Senate and has agreed to in conference.

The Sweet bill amending the war-risk insurance act, with the view of increasing the efficiency of the business and greatly relieving the provisions of the act in the payment of compensation to disabled soldiers, sailors, and marines.

The Johnson bill, for the deportation of undesirable aliens.

The Rowe seamen's bill, to encourage American citizen to enter merchant marine by reducing the length of their service necessary for American citizens taking a course on United States training ships to become able seamen.

The Alexander load-line bill, to aid American shipping by the establishment of load-lines for certain vessels.

The Rodgers bill, authorizing the Secretary of War to loan rifles to posts of the American Legion.

The Kahn bill, to encourage the efficiency of the Military Establishment by a modification of the requirements for the selection of certain non-commissioned officers.

The Scott bill, to protect the coastwise trade by repealing the provision of law which allowed foreign ships to participate in the coastwise trade during the war.

The Hutchinson cold-storage bill, providing a comprehensive plan for the regulation of cold storage with a view of preventing hoarding and deterioration of food-stuffs in cold storage, and the practice of deception with respect to the same.

The Nolan minimum-wage bill.

The Platt bill, amending the Federal farm-loan act with a view of removing red tape and making the act more workable.

A resolution requesting the Secretary of War to place on sale without delay the surplus food products under control of the War Department.

OUTLINE OF PARTY ATTITUDE BENEFIT TO WOMEN VOTERS.

Recent Utterances of Chairman Will H. Hays Will be of Great Value.

Republican women who want to know the party's attitude on current questions may find their answer in one of the recent speeches of Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican National Committee, who urged on the part of government, group and individual, "the practice of strict individual economy consistent with the proper development of present-day needs and possibilities," and voiced a party pledge when he said, "There shall be legislation passed as rapidly as possible, and when the complete Republican control necessary for full function shall have been brought about, there shall be legislation and execution all moving in the direction of efficiency and economy, for the establishment of business in the country on a sound, safe and sane basis; the solution of the railroad problem; legislation for a better relation between labor and capital, with justice for both; a law providing a budget system for the country's own business; legislation for the development of our diplomatic service; the solution of our shipping problem that we may have a merchant marine adequate to meet the development of world trade; the development of our position on international problems, all incident to the readjustment which is imminent."

Of industrial problems, Mr. Hays said: "The industrial problems of the country will, I have implicit faith, be solved in one way—by finding exact justice and enforcing it. It is simply a matter of Roosevelt's 'square deal'—exact justice for labor and exact justice for capital and exact justice for the public."

"The Republican party from its inception has stood against undue federalization of industries and activities. There must be strong federal regulation but not federal ownership. We have always endeavored and shall still endeavor to find the middle ground so well defined as between the anarchy of unregulated individualism and the deadening formalism of inefficient and wide-spread state ownership. We are against paternalism in government and we are against that pedagogic paternalism that has developed recently in this country. We are against autocracy as vigorously and unalterably as we



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SUGAR SUBSTITUTES IN FOODS MUST BE STATED ON LABELS.

Harmful Substances, Including Saccharin, Are Prohibited. Object of Regulations Is to Let Consumers Know What They Are Getting—Offering Goods Liable to Seizure.

Substitutes for sugar or for other normal ingredients of foods should be declared on the labels of the packages of foods in which they are used, if the packages are shipped within the jurisdiction of the Federal Food and Drug Act, say the officials of the Bureau of Chemistry, United States Department of Agriculture, who are charged with the enforcement of that act. Only substitutes which are harmless are permitted in foods under the terms of the law and those that are permitted should be stated clearly on the labels.

The object of the regulation that substitutes be declared on the labels is not to limit in any way the use of wholesome substitutes, the officials state, but to let the consumers know what they are getting. A purchaser of any food product, of which sugar is a normal ingredient, will naturally expect to get sugar in that product unless advised to the contrary. As the substitutes are usually cheaper than the substance for which they are used, it is only fair both from the standpoint of the purchaser and from that of fair trading, that a clear distinction be made on the labels between foods that contain all the normal ingredients and foods in which one or more of the normal ingredients is replaced by a cheaper substance.

JIM CROWD AFTER DEATH.

Hearse Refused to Colored Woman in Oklahoma.

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, 70 Fifth Avenue, New York, today made public the following extracts from a letter showing that discrimination against Colored people does not end with death:

"Sunday, November 16, I attended a funeral at Vinita, Oklahoma. The undertaker would not hire his hearse to the lady as they do not allow Colored people to use the same hearse that white people ride in. The one they have been using for Colored people has worn out, therefore she sent to Chetopa, Kansas, and hired one."

NEGROES BUY MORE HARLEM PROPERTY.

Roach Realty Co., Buys Elevator Apartment House at Lenox Ave. and 125th Street.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 18.—A \$300,000 deal in Harlem property has just been closed and announcement of the fact is embraced in notice of the sale of the Smithsonian, a seven-story high-grade elevator apartment house located at the southeast corner of 129th street and Lenox avenue, to Negro investors.

The Roach Realty Co., 214 West 141st street, becomes the purchaser of the structure, making the deal with Nettie B. Moyse, owner, through the Rosalind Realty Co., J. L. Moyse, president. The Smithsonian covers a plot fronting 88.11 feet on Lenox avenue and 109.10 feet on 129th St. It is occupied by white tenants under leases that run until October, 1920.

Within the last year Negroes have acquired a seven-story apartment buildings in Harlem, many of them tenanted by white people, the most recent being the seven-story building at the northwest corner of Seventh avenue and 137th street. As a result of the shortage of living accommodations the southerly limit of the so-called "black belt" has gradually been extended. Several months ago a number of Negro home seekers crossed the "line" at 130th street



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and purchased private dwellings occupied by whites in the streets to the south.

There was an unconfirmed rumor in circulation recently that Negro investors had purchased a large property on 125th street.

NEGRO TROOPS TO OKLAHOMA MINES.

Two Negro Companies are Ordered From New Mexico to Guard Mines.

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 18.—Two companies of the 24th Infantry, Negroes, at Columbus, N. M., and a squadron of the 13th Cavalry at Fort Clark, Del Rio, Texas, were ordered by Maj. Gen. Joseph T. Dickman tonight to proceed to Oklahoma for duty in guarding volunteer coal mines. The troops are expected to enter the State Thursday. General Dickman announced that this is the only request he has had for troops to guard mining property. A portion of the troops will be detailed for duty at McAlester.

WHISKEY MAY BE GIVEN INSTEAD OF DIVIDENDS.

1,500,000 Gallons May Be Distributed Among Food Company Stockholders.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18.—Rumored possibility that dividends of the United States Food Products Company, legal successor to the former Distillers' Securities Corporation, would be distributed in the near future in the form of distilled liquor instead of currency caused much comment

here today.

One broker estimated that on a conservative basis such action might release 1,500,000 gallons of bourbon whiskey as dividends on the 307,726 shares of the corporation's stock. Levy Mayer, counsel for the corporation, was consulted and said "the issuance of dividends depends on the United States Supreme Court decision in the prohibition cases."

TWO MORE NEGRO DEPUTY SHERIFFS ARE APPOINTED.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 18.—R. W. Kent of the Kent Auto Delivery Co., and Henry Burke, were appointed Deputy Sheriffs by Hon. George P. Weinbrenner, present high sheriff of this City. This makes four Negroes that have been appointed by Mr. Weinbrenner, he having appointed 2 when he entered office three years ago. R. W. Kent and Henry Burke were appointed Deputy Sheriffs December 1st.

SPECIAL GRAND JURY TO TAKE UP MACON LYNCHING.

Macon, Mo., Dec. 18.—A special grand jury was sworn in and instructed by Judge Drain this afternoon to investigate the raid on the Macon Jail by a mob from Randolph County a few weeks ago, when four Negro prisoners were taken from the Jail and one lynched. Judge Drain was particularly vigorous in urging upon the jury to do everything in its power to ascertain the men composing the mob and to indict them.

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